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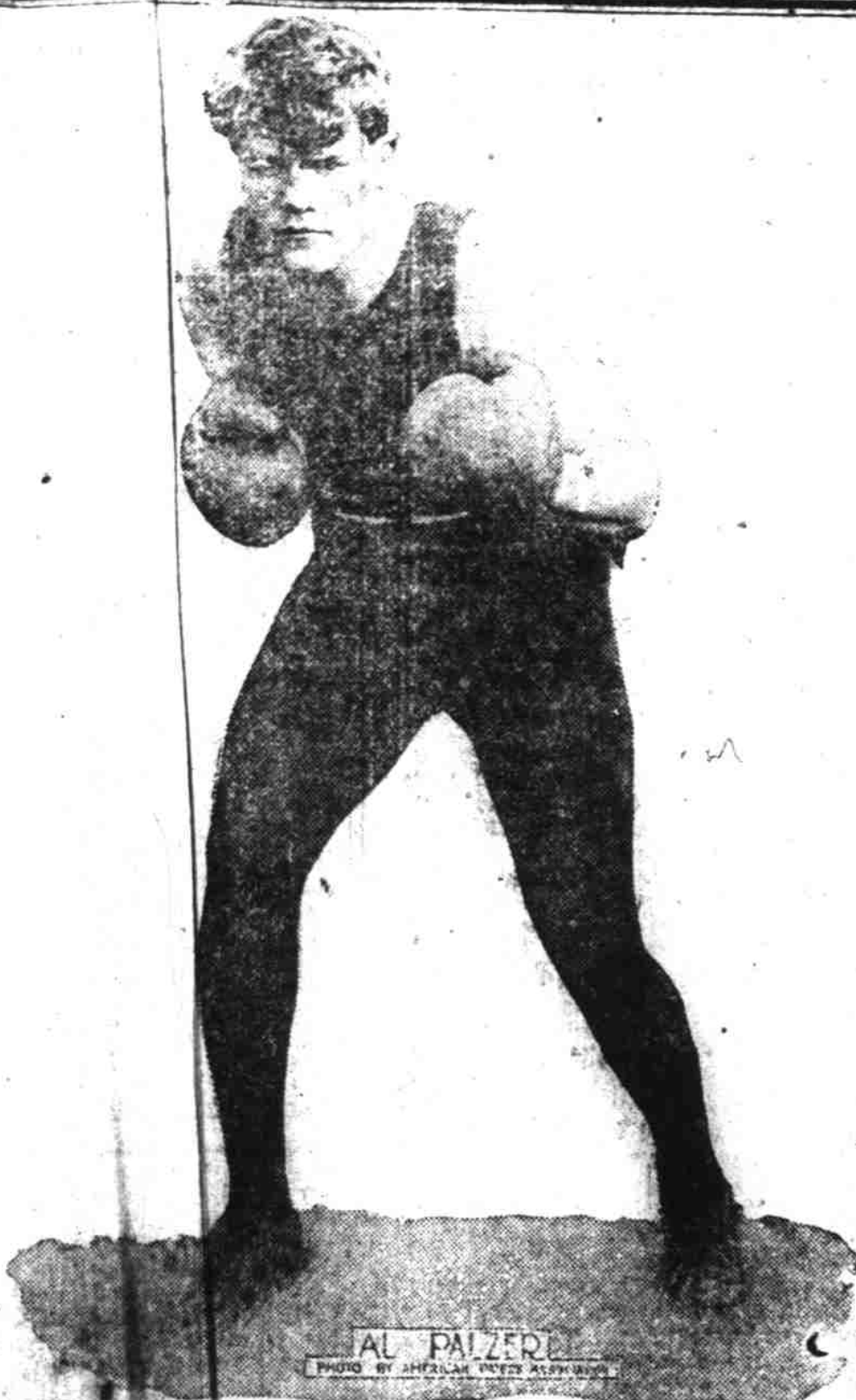
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WANTED TO DIE LOOK CREOLINE

Hattie Kanono, a young woman, married and residing on a lower street, Kawaio, made an unsuccessful attempt to take her life this afternoon, but was prevented through the prompt intervention of the police, who rushed the woman to the hospital. She had drunk the contents of a partly filled bottle of creoline.

The disinfectant had had a chance to take effect, before the woman's condition was noted by other members of the household. Investigation revealed the method whereby suicide was attempted.

Mrs. Kanono claimed that she was tired of life and sought a long rest. The police say that this state of mind was brought about through a period of period of intoxication.



AL PALZER
PHOTO BY JAMES H. HARRIS

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 1.—Al Palzer and Luther McCarthy have been hard at work preparing for their twenty round meeting to be held here today. Pugilistic experts here who have watched Palzer work are of the opinion that he will defeat McCarthy and have made him favorite in the betting. On the other hand, the adherents of McCarthy believe their choice will be returned the winner. For a year or more Palzer enjoyed the distinction of being hailed as the leader of the future greats, but since McCarthy defeated Earl Morris, Al Kaufman and Jim Flynn the Iowa farmer has had to give place to McCarthy, whose record eclipses that of any other white heavyweight in the ring at the present time. Both lack the polish of the class of men who were prominent ten years ago, but they compare favorably with the most rugged and determined of past ring warriors.

HAPPY CROWD AT RACES

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Everyone is looking forward to the two auto races. These will furnish thrills and to spare, and probably the sun will be low in the west before they are decided.

Local Jack Wins.
He's not much to look at, but when

it comes to riding Dora D little Jockey Gilbert, of local fame, has it all over the others. He showed this in the feature race of today's program. Owing to their size Dora D and Dixie were ruled out of the pony race and their owners, J. J. Medeiros and Billy Lewis, got together and patched up a special match over a half-mile course

DOCTOR COOK TO TALK OF TRIP NORTH HERE

It is possible that the people of Honolulu will have an opportunity to hear Doctor Cook's claims to the honor of having discovered the North Pole set forward by that adventurer himself at the Opera House here, provided the plans for his appearance are pulled through. The manager of the opera house yesterday received from the agent for Doctor Cook, Wilbur E. Carlton, of Washington, an offer to present the Doctor-explorer here in March and at once replied. If the terms he suggested are satisfactory Doctor Cook will probably come down here in the latter part of February and give three lectures. His advance agent sends the following:

"Doctor Cook will visit Honolulu on his return from the volcano where he will conduct a scientific investigation and will very likely attempt a descent into the crater, purely for scientific purposes.

"On the Doctor's return, March 8, he will give a series of lectures on 'His Conquest of the North Pole.' No controversy in history has perhaps equalled that concerning the discovery of the North Pole. This is undoubtedly the most momentous feat of our times. Every person living today should know both sides of the case. Mr. Peary has made charges against Dr. Cook. Dr. Cook offers his proofs openly to the public.

"Insofar as they were able to judge from all the data presented in the final books of both explorers the following explorers have given it as their opinion that Doctor Cook reached the Pole, and that Com. Peary's similar report coming later is supplementary proof of the first victory: Captain Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole; General A. W. Greeley, U. S. A., commander of 'The Lady Franklin Bay Expedition'; Rear Admiral W. S. Schley, U. S. N., commander of the Greeley Expedition; Captain E. B. Ziegler, commanding the Canadian Arctic Expedition and many others."

For \$50. The owners were willing and Dixie was willing but Dora D balked and refused to break from the start. A much-touted Australian jockey, one Jack Wilson was up, and do what he could the mare refused to cross the line properly. For more than twenty minutes she snorted and cowered while the starter sent her away and recalled her again and again. Finally little Gilbert went to the judges, and told them he could get the mare going if they would let him up. They were willing and Medeiros was willing, so Gilbert jogged over to the half-mile post, mounted the mare, started her at the first break and brought her across the line an easy winner in one of the prettiest races of the day. Jockey Cabral rode Dixie.

The details of the races follow:

First Race
Entries: J. J. Medeiros' Dora D; A. McPherson's Athlone; C. Kawano's Strawberry.

Owing to some delay at the start the first race was not begun until 10:30 o'clock. At the beginning Athlone and Strawberry took the lead with Dora D. some distance in the rear. This was perhaps the closest race of the day, as the two first-named horses crossed the tape with Strawberry leading Athlone by a nose, with Dora D. a good forty yards in the rear. First: Strawberry; second, Athlone; third, Dora D. Time: 50 3-5.

Second Race
Five Furlongs, Free-For-All. Purse \$200.

Entries: J. O'Rourke's Sonoma; F. Brughell's Miss Hyman; and G. Holt, Jr.'s Clare C.

Sonoma was the general favorite in the second race and in the get-away started last, but forged quickly to the front and won by a wide margin, with Miss Bryan second and Clare C. a close third. First, Sonoma; second, Miss Bryant; third, Clare C. Time: 1:5 4-5.

Third Race
Quarter-mile, free-for-all Cowboy race.

The three-eighths mile race for Japanese owned horses was called off and in its place a quarter-mile free-for-all cowboy race was run. There were five entries and no difficulty in starting. Forra won in 28 1-5.

Fourth Race
One mile, Gentlemen's Driving Race.

Entries: Charles Lucas' Naniwa, Chris. Holt's Venus, and an entry by Mr. Judd.

Naniwa took the lead at the start and after a short distance dropped back to second place, but on the home stretch forged to the front and won by a large margin with Venus a good second. First, Naniwa; second, Venus. Time: 2:59.

First Extra Race

Two cowboys entered this contest with steeds which were named Slow Start and Steam Roller. After several attempts to get started they finally ran off the first round with the result that Steam Roller pulled Slow Start over the line in lightning time. The judges then announced that the contest would be the best two out of three, and they started on the second round, which resulted the same as the first. This contest afforded a good deal of amusement for the spectators and served to break the monotony which prevailed while the next race was prepared.

Fifth Race

Half-mile, Hawaiian-bred ponies.

There were four entries in this race: A. McPherson's Indian Boy; W. Lucas' Dixie; G. Holt Jr.'s Palau, and J. J. Medeiros' Dora D. It was announced by the judges that Indian Boy and Palau would constitute the first race and that following it a special race be-

tween Dora D and Dixie would be held. The first race resulted in Indian Boy galloping across the tape about fifty yards ahead of Palau, although some of the spectators seemed to be of the opinion that the latter had the better show. Time: 58 1-5.

Special Race
Half-mile, Hawaiian-bred ponies. Entries: J. J. Medeiros' Dora D. and W. Lucas' Dixie.

After about twenty minutes spent in trying to get Dora D. started, another jockey took the place of the one who rode her in the first race and, noting the change, she loped over the tape nearly a length ahead of Dixie. First: Dora D. Second, Dixie.

Following this race there was an intermission of an hour in order that the spectators might get their lunch.

VIOLINIST AT LIB- ERTY TONIGHT

Romanoff, the wizard of the violin and bow, will be the big feature at Ye Liberty theater tonight, where he will make his initial bow to a Honolulu audience. He is considered the greatest violinist on the vaudeville stage today and, according to the Australian papers, is the peer of all violinists. Romanoff will appeal strongly to the music-loving people of Honolulu, who showed by their attendance at the Maud Powell concert that they stand ready to pay for first-class music.

Another big act for tonight is the Jourdan operatic quartet, who will be welcomed back by their numerous friends and admirers. They are too well known to need further mention. Suffice it to say they will appear in new songs and may sing one or two of the old favorites by request. A first-class picture program has been prepared for tonight, which will make the Liberty a very good place to spend the first of the year in.

LAUNDRYMEN TO COMBINE

Wong On a Chinese, is at the hospital, a victim of too much enthusiastic handling at the hands of a local organization of washmen, who met last evening with a view of perfecting an organization and the formation of a plan for the proper observance of New Year.

For some days laundry bosses have been confronted with a long petition bearing the signatures of hundreds of workers to the effect that they demanded a day off for the celebration of the new year.

BRIDGE BUILDER KILLED

(Special Wireless to the Star-Bulletin)

HILO, Hawaii, Jan. 1.—Frank Bryan Caldwell, employed on the bridge which is being thrown across the Kaawili gulch, by the railroad was killed here yesterday when he fell eighty feet to the rocky bottom of the gulch.



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THE CLARION

BIG PROFIT IN FIRE INSURANCE

Territorial Treasurer D. L. Conkling has figured out that the territory might have saved \$3,235,456.02 in the last nine years, or an average of \$360,000 a year, if it had established at that time a system of territorial fire insurance. Just what the saving might have been had the system been adopted before the time he cannot say, as the record of premiums and losses was not collected by the insurance commission until 1905.

Year	Insurance Written	Premiums Collected	Losses Paid
1903	\$ 19,888,471.33	\$ 364,628.51	\$163,281.17
1904	20,474,757.37	364,947.67	225,115.00
1905	23,639,569.00	377,762.00	235,550.00
1906	21,923,290.95	389,913.91	160,249.04
1907	23,270,292.95	443,361.19	37,512.87
1908	25,214,465.10	445,086.44	39,098.52
1909	25,239,095.86	489,361.49	10,350.71
1910	24,343,503.77	508,262.80	69,176.26
1911	26,527,407.86	549,456.92	95,194.25
Totals	\$209,145,514.71	\$3,931,780.33	\$696,324.31

According to figures compiled by D. L. Conkling, insurance commissioner, exclusively home fire insurance would have saved Hawaii \$3,235,456 net over the last nine years.

Losses by fire paid by insurance companies in the past nine years. Government fire insurance may be provided in the next legislature.

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